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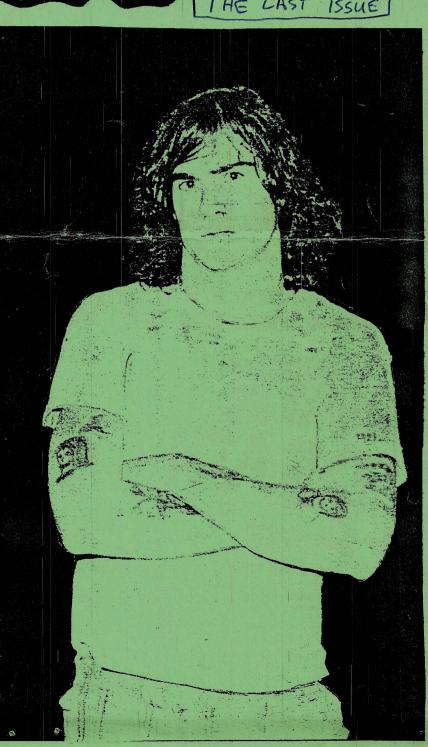
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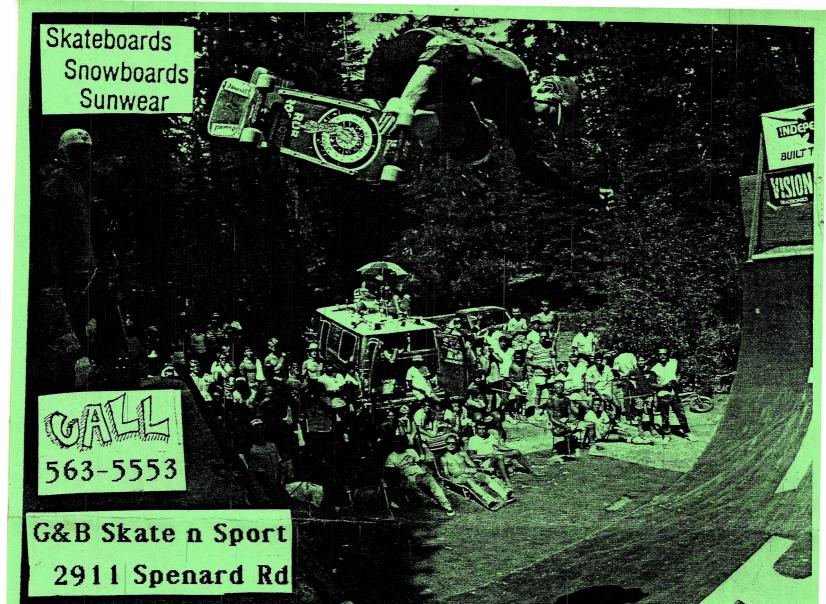
BLACK FLAG IIII

Plus:
Big Boys interview
Scene Reports
Snowboarding
Comics
and lots more...

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LETTER FROM THE EDITOR

Hello-

I cant believe issue #3 is out! Well I guess I can because it is. Issue #3 has gotton a lot better since the first issue, but I still need lots of contributions. So keep sending in those letters.

Vans skateboarding shoes went out of business. Hilltop ski resort bans snowboarding on their slopes. Theres going to be a local snowboard contest downtown on the 3rd st hills sometime in mid Febuary. Look for flyers around town. mayor Theres also going to be a snowboard contest in Calgary, Canada in April. Theres \$10,000 in prizes to be given away (Information call (403) 286-7347). Local band Skate Death is now a 5 piece band after they added a second guitarist. Rumors have been spreading that Big Boys broke up. Is it true???

LATER, TONY

COVER: Henry Rollins of Black Flag.

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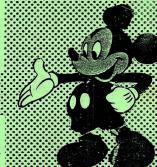
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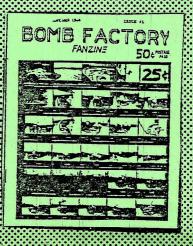


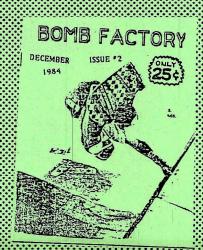
PHOTOS

La based freelance photographer interested in working with fanzines. For photo list of bands (Both live and Posed).

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Tony,

Thanks for issue #2! It came out real good getting beter each issue.Well, heres our tape(10 songs) plus Marginal Man LP, T.S.O.L. ChangeToday LP side one and after our songs is D.I.s EP.Soits a pretty good 60min worth.....

-Love Canal- ti -songs-1Greatest Sports Ledgend 2Dark Shadows 3Hitlers Brians' 4Larry Flynt 5E.P.T.

till next time, Kerry

%Telephone Numbers
7We know Something
8Elevator to hell
9Jimmy Closet
10Worm Crawl



What's doin, looks like ya need somethin for you title, so I did this for ya, you can use it if ya want but do something. Later.

BARAL FLIGHT TECNOLOGY

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Thanks anyway but I already got a new title

I hope the scene is going good in AK. Hey are the skate bettys as hot as I hear? Thats all I ever hear about is the skate bettys and there beautiful bodies prowling around looking for cute guys to have sex with and in the meantime ride their skateboards and play skaterock? Is it true? Well I must go. Keep sending me your fanzines.

Thanks,

Chris Cummings

P.O. Laughbox 828 Boston, MA 02199

Dear Tony Bomb Factory,

Yup. Here's P.O.R.T.#3 for your fun and reading pleasure.

Thanks for sending ol' Sallee a copy of your magazine. Looks like you've got quite a lot of skaters out there.

Is there a pretty nice scene out there, or are those pictures sent from L.A? Just kidding. Yuk yuk. Uh-oh...

I am now residing in Boston, MA. A bit backwards out here, but creativity is definitely oozing from the rafters.

If you would like to send me any outtakes for P.O.R.T. #4, please feel free. I enjoy input.

Hope all goes well for the Bomb Factory!

Sallee Baglady

Happy Holidays!!!

Bomb Factory,

Notice to ALL PUNKS!

Im really sick of whats been going on lately to the Punk scene.

Punks are starting to rag on other people about the way they dress!

I mean you don't have to shave your head and wear spikes to be a punk.

Just be yourself After all isn't funk being a Non-conformist! Think about it.

P.S. You have a great zine in a year you'll be as big as Max Rand R. Keep up the good work!

Black Flag is probably the most original hardcore punk band in America today-Recently Black Flag was in Maine with DOA for the first PUNK show ever in this State, and I talked with Henry about the band.

C.H.R.I.S.D You've gone through alot of changes through the years

Henry Yeah, well I'm sick of people telling me what to do and how to do things. I want to be diffrent after all isn't that what Punk is being about?

CHRISO Alot of people say My War, your last album, is heavy metal and that you have sold out. What do you think about that?

Henry Our music ideology is to just play as much as possible. If someone doesn't like

our last album or our new one they can F_K-OFF!

C.H.R.I.S. Do you consider the band to be an anarchist band?

Henry Well, not really were just people who think about ourselves.

C.H.R.I.S.D What does BLACK FLAG mean?

Henry Anything that you want it to, I guess it's the opposite of the white flag too, which is the flag of surrender. Alot of people think that it means ANARCHY but it doesn't.

C.H.R.1.5.1 What are your songs about?

Henry We have alot of diffrent ideas that we put into our songs. Im not a super political person who only talks about Nuclear power like some bands do. Just listen to our songs and you'll get the message.

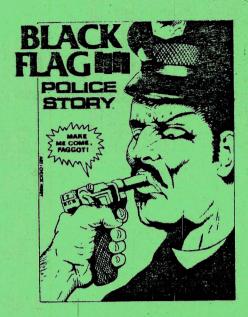
C:H.R.1.5. What do you think of all the fans who said you E-ked up on your last tour.

Henry I couldn't give a fik what people think. I mean just don't come bitch in to me! Just let ém go listen to the Dead Kennedys and leave me the f k alone

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C.H.R.I.S. How is your life going nowodays, happy?

Henry It doesn't matter if I'm happy or not. To

me life Isn't about being happy, its about pain.

What do you think of Life?

C.H.R.I.S. Shit, I don't know! Staying Aline probably.

Henry You don't seem like your from Maine.

C.H.R.I.S. I'm not, I'm originally from Houston, Texas.

Henry Houston is a cool place, there's a great scene

there.

C.H.R.I.S. What do you think of Maine so far?

Henry It's too finking cold and no polution or big buildings.

C.H.R.I.S. Whats next for BLACK FLAG?

Henry I don't know. We could all die tomorow. We just wonna keep moving.

C.H.R.IS In what direction?

Henry The BLACK FLAG direction.

CHRIST Any last comments?

Henry year buy our new allown (Slip it In) and all you bonds come play in Maine They pay good and large studiums for us small bands. Do it now, we did!

C.H.R.I.S. That's it?

Henry Fix with no mon till he fixs with you!

CHR.15 Thanks Henry

BLACK FLAG LIVE '84 (CASS, SST 030 \$8.00)

BLACK FLAG MY WAR (LPICASS, SST 033 \$6.00)

BLACK FLAG SUPIT IN (LPICASS, SST 039 \$6.50)

BLACK FLAG FAMILY MAN (LPICASS, SST 036 \$6.50)

BLACK FLAG COLOR T-SHIRT (Slip it in) \$9.00

BLACK FLAG STICKER (4"x 5" Slip it in) \$0.50

P.O Box 1 Lawndale CA 90060

Either you love Black Flag or you hate Black Flag.

MYWAR

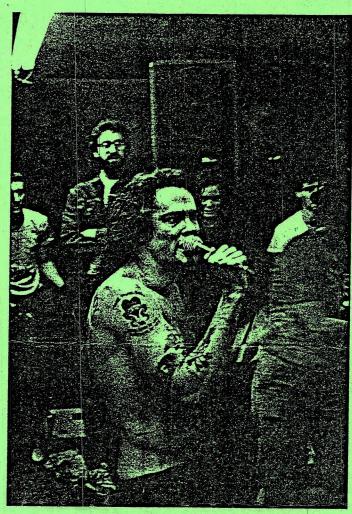
BLACK FLAG

Henry Rollins - Vocals Greg Ginn - guitar Bill Stevenson - drums Dale Nixon - bass



Henry Rollins





Henry Rollins again



Big Boys Interview by Chris Cummings

The Big Boys have become one of the most popular skate bands around today. I talked with Tim Kerr recently about the band.

Chris-First of all whats the current line up?
Randy Turner, Chris Gates, Rey Washam, and
me, Tim Kerr.

Chris-When were the Big Boys formed?

In Austin, Texas in 1977. We got together once to play and all this stuff has been amazing.

Chris-What do you mean ?

I mean we are serious about what we are doing but its not like were gonna do this and well get a big record deal.

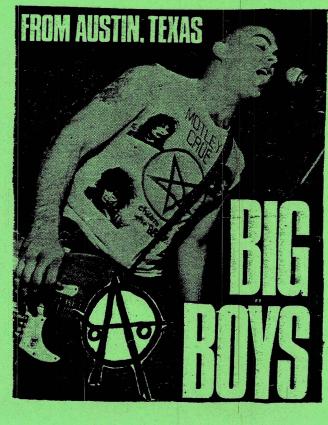
Chris-What do you think of the scene in Texas?

In Texas the punk/hardcore scene is more attitude than 1,2,3, kind of music

Chris-Have you always played punk ?
Yeah, we've always stayed on the wilder side of music.

Chris-What are your musical influences ? Punk, Jazz, Funk, heavy metal, etc....

Chris-How do you feel about your shows? Our shows are pretty much a free for all. If you know the songs you can get up and sing. As soon as the first chords of our songs start the stage usually starts filling up.





Chris-Are you all real skaters ? Yeah, we all been real skaters mentaliy.

Chris-Any hobbies besides skating ? Yeah, I collect shogun warriors.

Chris-Any regrets? No, if it would end tomorrow. Ive done more than I thought I would ever do. Its been worth it.

> BIG BOYS Write for free catolog and sticker 5400 ave.H Austin, Texas. 78751









Snowboarding hits Anchorage

Snowboards have been around for 20 years, since California surfers first looked longingly at white slopes and took their ideas back to their workshops.

But only in the last several years has the popularity of the boards taken off in the Lower 48, and in Alaska the snowboard boom arrived just this winter.

Snowboarding is banned from two of the three downhill ski areas in the Anchorage area. But "the snowboarders in town don't care — they'll hike for three hours just to come down for five minutes," said Tito Ramos, an Anchorage snowboarder who competes nationally.

Ramos and owner Rick Malone run New Frontier Scotts, the city's earliest and largest seller of snowboards. They carry boards made by Burton, Flite, Avalanche, Sims, Snow Tech, Barfoot, Slayer and Swing-bo.

Barfoot, Slayer and Swing-bo.
New Frontier is located at 1565 Bragaw St., Suite 1021/2, and can be reached by calling 276-2975.

- G&B Sports is another snowboard seller, and carries the Burton, Flite, Prop and Sims brands. G&B is located upstairs in the red building at 2911 Spenard Road (at the corner of Benson) and can be reached by calling 563-5553.

The Bicycle Shop, at 1035 W. Northern Lights Blvd., carries Burton snowboards. The shop can be reached at 272-5219.

Gary King Sporting Goods also sells snowboards, but has none in stock at present. Gary King is located at 202 E. Nortnern Lights Blvd. and can be reached by calling 272-5401.

Snowboards range in price from a little more than \$100 to more than \$300.

Snowboard

Brent Morris backside air.



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No we havent sunk into the ocean yet! In fact there would be enough ramps to float away on! The best two halfpipes here are Deans Dinosuar ramp which is 20ft wide, 12ft flat bottom, 8ft high. Theres the Red hill ramp which is 16ft wide, 12ft flat, 8ft high with rollin. But by far the best ramp is Kyles which was 10ft high, 16ft wide, 10ft flat, and masonited. Too bad the ramp is temporarily dismantled, but it still rules! Other then these ramps there are numerous smaller halfpipes and quarter pipes. The growing popularity of skaters is increasing the number of ramps, which is good for all of us. Hawaii also has a multitude of drainage ditchs. Theres plenty of hills and parking garages. Not to mention all the parked cars, curbs, trash cans, pedestrians, etc to skate on. So Hawaii does have a pretty killer skate scene.

The music scene is also growing! Neve got six hard-core bands now. SRO and The Erect are premier bands. Then thers Scared-4-Life who I got to play guitar for (Hawaiis only straightedge skate band). Other bands are Nole-Mub, Small Contribution, and Power to the Bruddahs. Bands that have came over here are Agent Orange and Circle Jerks.





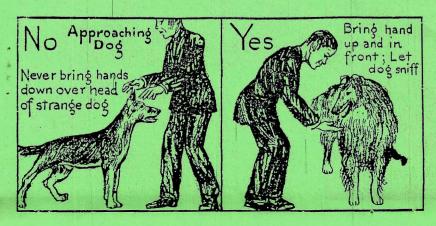
Mako at Red Hill ramp

As for fanzines and skatezines, we got a few.I put out Trash and Tool. Then theres a new music oriented zine called Sex Kitten. Plus good skate zines like Board Images, Blast, and Rebate skatemag. For addresses of these zines write Trash and Tool.

Later, Rich/Trash and Tool 84-126 Klapa Pl. Makaha, HI. 96792

Ed(left)and Mako(vocals)
Of Scared-4-Life.

Safety tip of the month



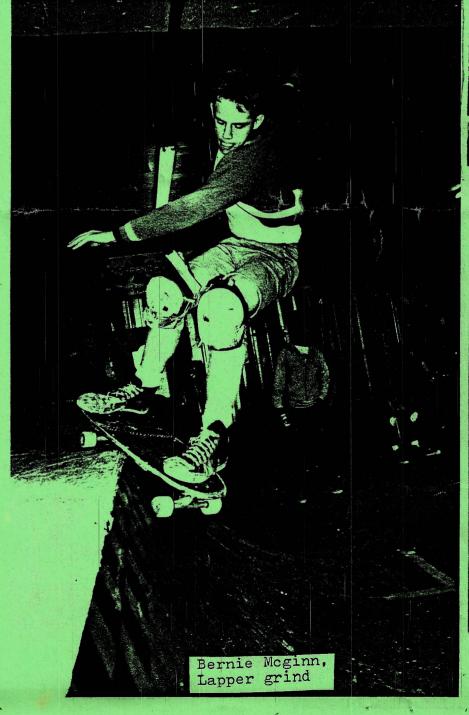


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Lincoln. Nebraska Scene

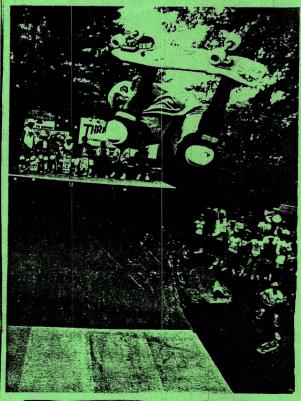
The skate scene is still growing. The idea of the indoor skatepark has kinda died since the weather has been warm. The ramps that shred are Richs(16ft wide)Midwest Melee ramp, Scott Bouwens old(12ft wide)ramp is somewhere around town. For now the Fair st(12ft wide) ramp has been moved to Scotts backyard. Gathers banks rip, theres also Peir 1 cement banks, and the dish.

The music is still alive with bands like Baby Hotline, Power of the Spoken Word. Theres also a couple of new bands called Lunchmeat, and Peer Puppet real heavy grinding music, reminds me of the early punk stuff. There hasent been to many shows lately but soon I think.





Tom at Fair st ramp, Andrecht handplant



Christen Hosoi flying high during the Midwest Melee.

REVIEWS



RATING GUIDE

Great Good ok Bad poor

BOMB FACTORY 3339 Starlite cir Anchorage, AK. 99503

This band is radical. There new LP the Blitz is there best. The hottest

Krokus-The Blitz

song is midnight maniac. Excellent guitar solos and drum parts. Buy it! Also see there video on Mtv.

GEEAT Steve Hoffman

BLACK FLAG-Slipit in SST records, PO Box 1, Lawndale, CA 90260 Everybody has heard of Black Flag, BUt Im not sure everybody will want to listen to this album. It seemed to be a slow and boring album. This album will turn more people off than it will turn on. ok

Effigies-Forever Srounded Egigna/PO Box 2896/Torrence, CA.90509

This band is from Missouri. The music is not thrash. The singer sounds like Dennis De Young. This LP is quite different from there older LP. Interesting guitar sound.

mark bad

Negative Trend -Ep \$4.00 Subterranean Records/577 Valencia/ San Fran, CA. 94110

This is a 4 song EP. Although it was recorded in 1978, it was just released. The songs pretty much last 70 stuff, with very political lyrics. Some of the members of the band, which is no longer exsistance are currently in a band called Flipper.I wouldn't recommend this to people who are lo looking for a fast band. If you are looking for good songs with meaningful lyrics, this EP is worth money. Mark Good

7 Seconds-The Crew PO Box 67A64 LA, Ca. 90067 This is a excellent album. Kevins voice is understandable. Real tight sing-a-long lyrics. My favorite songs are Not just boys fun and Young till I die. These songs will make you think great

Crass-Sheep farming and Gotcha Crass Records.PO Box 279.London N22. This 7 inch record was imported from England. This is the first time I heard Crass. This band is very creative about there country. I liked the song Gotcha it was interesting. good JFA

PO Box 23316/Phoenix, AZ. 85063 This is the newest album from the Pheonix band, there 11 songs, some fast, some slow, some instrimental. The one complant I had with this LP is that it didnt come with a lyric sheet and I couldnt understand what Brian was singing. My favorite song is The day Walt Disney died. Over all its worth gitting but dont pay money unless you cant figure a way to steal it. Mark

Rail-

This is a super band that no one has hardly heard of . They were great when they opened up for Quarterflash.But there tape is better. Theyre livin for Rock-n-Roll. Steve Hoffman

Send Tapes and Records: to get reviewed

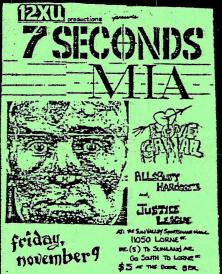
W.A.S.P.-

This is an excellent band. They were banned from England and the U.S., but now they are back and they are hot. Excellent drum parts. Catch it! GEEAT

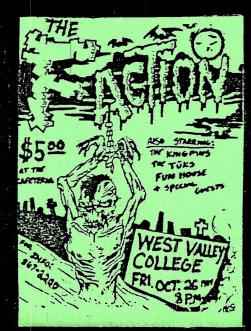
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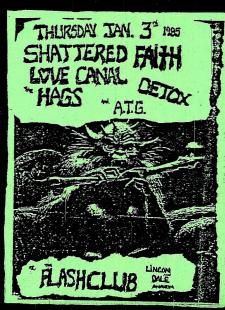


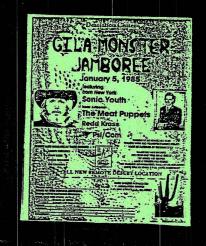


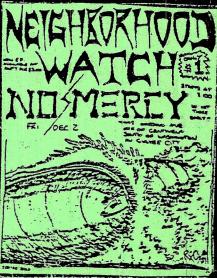








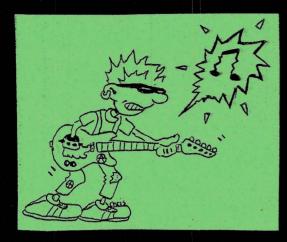








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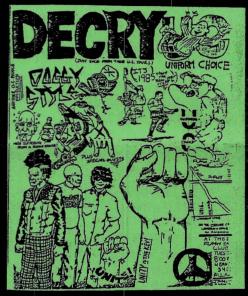
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Hello all you Depeche Mode fons. Depeche Modes latest album "Some Great Reward" is slightly diffrent from what most of us expect from them. It contains mostly romantic love songs, with the exception of People are People and "Moster and Servant" which really don't sound like Depeche Mode. Now, I'm not

putting the album down, as a matter of fact I think It's a pretty good album, But I'm used to Depeche Mode music that bounces and this album just does not bounce. I do find this album better then People are People which was way too much like a industrial nightmare. If you want to listen to something bouncy listen to "Toro! Tora! Tora!" but if you want something sweet and romantic buy "Some great reward". I still think Depeche Mode are the Masters of creativity and are one of the best around.

COMICS











Adventerous of Willy goes snow boarding

By Tony mcmilleon 85

One day willy went snowboarding to this place called Hilltop



All the Skiers Started getting Mad.

Then a skier told the manager that the snowboarders were reaking the skiers.





Willy was mad but that didn't stop him.

As soon as Willy got home he Built a jump in his backyard.



Now Willy can get rad anytime he wants to.

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